Alaska Local and Regional Information Workforce Info

Akutan

Akutan is an incorporated second class city and is located on Akutan Island in the eastern Aleutians. Commercial fish processing dominates Akutan's cash-based economy; many locals are seasonally employed. Akutan is part of the Aleutians East Borough.

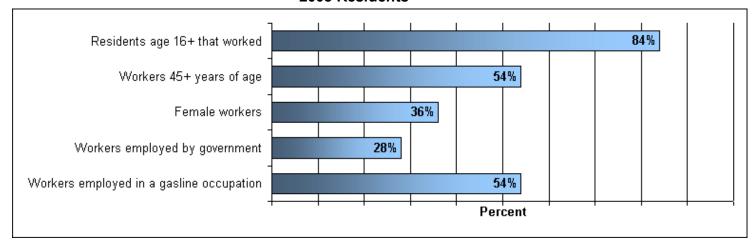
- ◆ The estimated population for 2008 was 796, a gain of about 83 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 84 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- Manufacturing was the main industry in 2008, employing 42 percent of the area's workers.
- ◆ More workers were employed as Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers than any other occupation.

Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents <u>only</u>. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

	Akutan Resident	Snapshot (2008)		
Working Age Residents		Wages		
Residents age 16+	93	Total wages	\$2,429,957	
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector		
Total	78	Private	56	
Male	49	State government	0	
Female	28	Local government	22	
Age 45+	42	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers		
Age 50+	29	Peak (3rd) quarter workers	75	
		Percent working all 4 quarters	85.9%	
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupa	tion Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	13	Some construction	7	
		At least 1 year construction	1	
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	0	
New hires	21	Worked in an AGIA occupation	64	

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2008 Residents

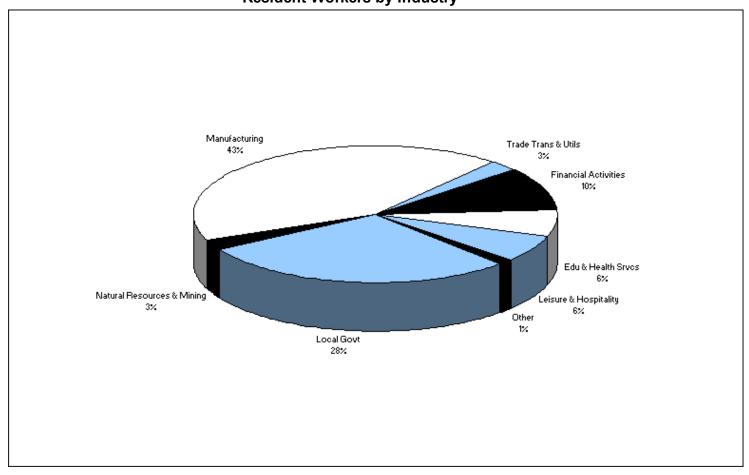


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	14	53.8%	9	6
Office Clerks, General AGIA	11	27.3%	5	3
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	5	60.0%	2	1
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand AGIA	5	0.0%	1	1

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
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Natural Resources and Mining	^	^	^	^
Construction	0	0.0%	0	0
Manufacturing	33	31.2%	18	12
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	*	*	*	*
Information	0	0.0%	0	0
Financial Activities	8	62.5%	4	2
Professional and Business Services	0	0.0%	0	0
Educational and Health Services	5	60.0%	3	2
Leisure and Hospitality	5	20.0%	1	1
State Government	0	0.0%	0	0
Local Government	22	40.9%	15	12
Other	*	*	*	*
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

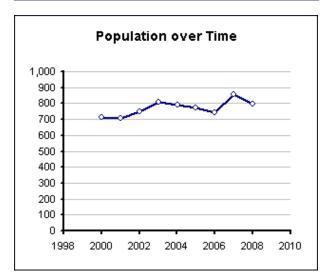
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Recent Unemployment Statistics				
	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	7	10	7	10

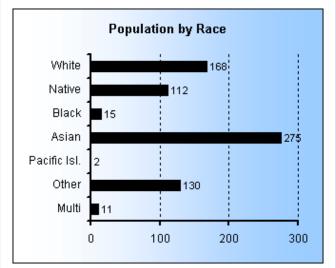
^{**}UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

Trident Seafoods Corporation
Akutan City of
Akutan Corporation
Akutan Traditional Council
Akutan Roadhouse Inc
Eastern Aleutian Tribes Inc
Krenitzin Island Cattle Company Inc
Horizon Lines of Alaska LLC
Aleutians East Boro Sch Dist
Aleutian Pribilof Is Assn Inc



2000 Census		
Median Age	40.2	
Average Family Size	3.0	
Average Household Size	2.2	
Per Capita Income	\$12,258	
Median Family Income	\$43,125	
Median Household Income	\$33,750	



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

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